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Who Am I?

Grade Level	Third
Minimum Time Required	30 Minutes
Materials/Resources	List of "Who Am I?" clues
Subject Area(s)	Guidance

Project Description:

1. Talk with students about the great variety of jobs that are available
2. Explain that we will be doing a riddle game. You may wish to divide the students into teams.
3. Read one clue and allow guesses. Continue with more clues until students can guess correctly. Points may be awarded depending on the number of clues needed.
 - a) 1 clue = 4 pts.
 - b) 2 clues = 3 pts.
 - c) 3 clues = 2 pts.
 - d) 4 clues = 1 pt.

Career Development Standard	Awareness of the relationship between work and learning. Skills to understand and use career information.
Career Development Indicator	Identify different types of work, both paid and unpaid. Describe work of family members, school personnel, and community workers. Identify the working conditions of occupations (e.g. inside/outside, hazardous).
Delivery Level	Review Mastery
Academic Standards	
Language Arts	3.3.c Determine ways to organize oral/visual information for later recall.
Employability/SCANS Skills	Interpersonal Skills Basic Skills Thinking Skills
Assessment/Rubric	Students will identify three different careers. Students will also be evaluated based on class participation.

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CARPENTER <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I spend time building. 2. Can you nail down my career? 3. Bob the Builder's my hero. 4. Have I hammered down my job? 	GARDENER <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I spend most of my time outside. 2. I weed out big problems. 3. I don't mind getting my hands dirty. 4. I also provide trimming and manicuring services.
DENTIST <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. People visit me one to two times each year. 2. I repair holes but not on the highway. 3. The first thing I notice about you is your smile! 4. I take pictures of your chompers. 	LIBRARIAN <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I work in a quiet zone. 2. My friends are Harry Potter and Laura Ingalls Wilder. 3. I am sometimes called a bookworm. 4. When you are with me we can have many exciting adventures!
AIRLINE PILOT <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I wear a uniform that has wings on the shoulder patch. 2. I usually have a partner that helps me do my job. 3. I steer a vehicle, but do not drive on a road. 4. I help you soar from place to place. 	JUDGE <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Usually I wear a robe to work. 2. I can get your attention with an item that looks like a hammer. 3. I sit behind a bench. 4. I work a lot with "sentences".
BUS DRIVER <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. My job is essential in larger cities. 2. I get you to school each day. 3. I stop for all railroad crossings. 4. I follow the same route each day. 	NURSE <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I take care of people when they are ill. 2. I usually wear white and comfortable shoes. 3. I weigh you in and measure your height when you come to the doctor's office. 4. My job title rhymes with "purse".
DOGCATCHER <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. My profession is going to the dogs. 2. I spend most of the day in my truck. 3. All my clients need a bath and sometimes a haircut. 4. My job involves picking up criminals on the run. 	BANKER TELLER/BANKER <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Green is my favorite color and I have to be able to count. 2. You'll find me behind a window. 3. Some say that in my profession, I work "banker's" hours. 4. I work with dough.

PHOTOGRAPHER

1. I say, but do not eat "cheese"
2. I spend time in the dark developing new things.
3. I may comb your hair and tuck in your shirt, but I am not your mother.
4. I may work for a newspaper or a portrait studio.

TEACHER

1. I work with small or large groups of people.
2. People keep giving me apples for gifts.
3. Summer is my favorite season.
4. You spend one-third of your day with me.

MAIL CARRIER

1. I work all day to do my jobs.
2. I usually wear blue and carry a big bag.
3. I come to your house six days a week.
4. I help you send and receive mail from your friends.

FARMER

1. I work in the country.
2. Weather has an important effect on what I plant.
3. I work with animals and plants.
4. I like being outside and being my own boss.

PARK RANGER

1. Some people think of me as a type of law enforcement officer.
2. Smokey the Bear and I hang out in the same spots.
3. I work to prevent forest fires.
4. I also work at keeping your parks neat and clean.

TRUCK DRIVER

1. I must have a clean driving record to get and keep this job.
2. I sometimes sleep in a "cab"
3. A cb (citizens band) radio is often important equipment for my job.
4. I usually work in long shifts alone hauling items back and forth.

ELECTRICIAN

1. Thomas Edison created my job.
2. I get a charge out of my job.
3. During my job, I really have shocking experiences.
4. Are you plugging into what I do?

VETERINARIAN

1. Sometimes my patients act like animals.
2. If you have a pet, you probably come to see me.
3. I have an office, but will also come to your home.
4. I take care of patients who are ill.

ASTRONOMER

1. My work starts when you go to bed at night.
2. You're just waking up when I get home from work.
3. People say I have stars in my eyes.
4. I use a big telescope in performing my job tasks.

PHARMACIST

1. I often wear a lab coat and stand behind a counter.
2. Being able to count is very important in my work.
3. People ask me questions about their health, but I am not a doctor.
4. I provide medicines to help you get well and stay healthy.

FIREFIGHTER <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I have a burning desire. 2. When the siren sounds, get out of my way. 3. I wear a yellow uniform. 4. My equipment is water hoses and axes. 	RACE CAR DRIVER <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I spend a lot of time going around in circles. 2. I wear a helmet when I drive a car. 3. Sometimes companies give me money to pay for expenses for my car. 4. I love to race other people.
Optometrist <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I like looking into your eyes. 2. I can help you gain a clear focus. 3. I can help you make a fashion statement with your face. 4. You may get glasses when you visit me. 	Chef <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I often wear a funny white hat. 2. I create ice sculptures for fancy food feasts. 3. I prepare your food when you eat in a restaurant. 4. I watch Martha Stewart for job tips.
Police Officer <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I am on duty to help people. 2. I am often called a public servant. 3. I protect people by preventing crime before it happens. 4. I drive a car with lights on top. 	Private Detective <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I am a people watcher. 2. Some people think I arrest people, but I usually don't. 3. A car is important for my job. 4. A camera, badge, magnifying glass and fingerprinting kit are tools that I use for my job.
Broadcast Technician <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Without me, there would be no radio or television shows. 2. I am the person "behind the scenes". 3. Without me, there would be no radio or television shows. 4. I am not a news reporter, but he/she relies heavily on my job. 	Beautician <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. My job provides cuts and colors. 2. I can give you a buzz, bob, or shag. 3. Your looks are a reflection on me. 4. I can help with bad hair days.